16. (Amended) A compound having the following formula (I):

wherein R^1 , R^2 , R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,

- 1) R^3 is $(C_1 C_9)$ alkyl,
 - R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^5 is (C_1-C_4) alkyl,
 - R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B or -B, wherein X, Y, A and B are selected from the following combinations:
 - ① X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is amidino;
 - (2) X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -B and B is amino;
 - ③ X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;
 - \mathbb{Q}^{-1} X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl and benzimidoyl;

 - i X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of tetra-lower $(C_1 C_4)$ alkyl bis(phosphono)methyl and tri-lower $(C_1 C_4)$ alkyl

bis(phosphono)methyl;

- 2) R^3 is $(C_1 C_9)$ alkyl,
- R^4 is $(C_3 C_9)$ alkyl,
 - R^5 is hydroxy-substituted (C_1 - C_6) alkyl or a nitrogencontaining heterocyclic radical,
 - is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene,

A is imino and

B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;

- 3) R^3 is $(C_1 C_9)$ alkyl,
 - R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - ① R^5 is $(C_3 C_7)$ cycloalkyl,
 - R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and B is amino; or

- R^{5} is a nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical,
 - is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is phenylene,

A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and

B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;

- 4) R^3 is $(C_1 C_9)$ alkyl, R^4 is $(C_3 C_9)$ alkyl,

 - 5 is carboxy-substituted lower $(^{2}C_{1}^{-1}C_{4}^{-1})$ alkyl, di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl or hydroxy-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, and
 - R^9 is -X-Y, wherein X is phenylene and

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Y is -A-B,

wherein A and B are selected from the following . combinations:

- A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl; and
- A is lower $(C_1 C_4)$ alkylene and B is amino;
- 5) R^3 is $(C_1 C_9)$ alkyl,

 R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

0 when R^5 is hydroxy-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B,

wherein

A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and B is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ acylimidoyl; or

when R^5 is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

Y is -A-B,

wherein A is imino and B is amidino;

- 6) R^3 is phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{5} is lower $(C_1 C_4)$ alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is phenylene and

A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene and

B is amino; or

- ② R^5 is di-lower $(C_1^{-C_4})$ alkylamino-substituted lower $(C_1^{-C_4})$ alkyl, hydroxy-substituted $(C_1^{-C_6})$ alkyl or lower $(C_1^{-C_4})$ alkyl,
 - R is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene and
 A is imino and
 B is lower (C₁-C₄) acylimidoyl;
- 7) R³ is nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, carboxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, amino-substituted lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, hydroxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, lower (C₁-C₄) alkoxycarbonyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, oxygen-containing (C₁-C₅) straight chain or branched alkyl, or hydroxy-substituted (C₁-C₈) alkyl;

R⁴ is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,

R⁵ is lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,

wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene, and

B is amino;

- 8) ① R^3 is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, and R^4 is hydroxy-substituted (C_3-C_8) alkyl, or
 - $\mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{R}^3$ is nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, and

 $\cdot R^4 \text{ is } (C_3 - C_9) \text{ alkyl,}$

 R^5 is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and
B is amino;

9) R^3 is amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, lower (C_1-C_4) alkylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, nitrogencontaining heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, or isopropyliminomethylbenzyl,

R⁴ is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,

R⁵ is lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

R⁹ is hydrogen;

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10) R^3 is aryloxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, (C_3-C_7) cycloalkyl-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, arylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, alkylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, or amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

R⁴ is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,

R⁵ is lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

R⁹ is -x-y, and y is -A-B,

wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene,

A is imino and

B is amidino;

11) R^3 is phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^5 is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, (i) when R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is $(C_1 - C_6)$ alkylene, A is imino and B is amidino;

when R^4 is unsubstituted or optionally substituted aryl-lower (C_1 - C_4) alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is $(C_1 - C_6)$ alkylene, A is imino and B is amidino; or

when R^4 is $(C_3 - C_9)$ alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is $(C_1 - C_6)$ alkylene, and

B is amino;

B is amino;

- 12) R^3 is amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^5 is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ alkyl, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and
- 13) R^3 is amino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^4 is $(C_3 - C_9)$ alkyl, R^{5} is di-lower $(C_{1}-C_{4})$ alkylamino-substituted lower $(C_{1}-C_{4})$ alkyl, R^9 is $-\dot{x}-\dot{y}$, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and A is imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl; 14) R³ is guanidino-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

guanidino-substituted lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl-substituted

phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, or amino-substituted lower

(C₁-C₄) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

 R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^5 is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ alkyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and B is amino; or

15) R^3 is amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^4 is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^5 is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ alkyl,

R is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is phenylene,

A is lower $(C_1 - C_4)$ alkylene, and

B is amino;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

- 17.(Amended) The compound according to claim 16 wherein R^1 , R^2 , R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,
- 1) R³ is methyl,
 R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁵ is methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y and Y is -A-B or -B
 wherein X, Y, A and B are selected from the following
 combinations:
 - ① X is methylene or ethylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is amidino;
 - ② X is ethylene or trimethylene, Y is -B and B is amino;
 - X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;
 X is trimethylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is
 - (4) X is trimetnylene, Y is -A-B, A is implied and B is selected from the group consisting of acetimidoyl, propionimidoyl and benzimidoyl;
 - ⑤ X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is methylene and B is amino; and
 - X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected
 from the group consisting of
 tetra-ethyl bis(phosphono)methyl,
 tetra-methyl bis(phosphono)methyl,
 tri-ethyl bis(phosphono)methyl and
 tri-methyl bis(phosphono)methyl;

- R³ is methyl, 3) R4 is isobutyl, R⁵ is cyclopropyl, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is ethylene and B is amino;
 - R⁵ is morpholino, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is phenylene, A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;

 R^3 and R^4 are each isobutyl, R⁵ is 2-carboxyethyl, 2-dimethylaminoethyl or 2-hydroxyethyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

wherein A and B are selected from the following y is -A-B, combinations:

- A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl; and
- A is methylene and B is amino;
- and R are each isobutyl,
 - when R^5 is 2-hydroxy-1,1-dimethylethyl, $\cdot \cdot R^9$ is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B,

wherein A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;

- When R⁵ is methyl, R⁹ is -X-Y, wherein X is methylene or ethylene and Y is -A-B, wherein A is imino and B is amidino;
- 6) R³ is phenylpropyl,
 R⁴ is isobutyl,
 ① R⁵ is methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is phenylene and
 A is methylene and
 B is amino; or
 - ② R⁵ is '2-dimethylaminoethyl, 2-hydroxyethyl or methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is trimethylene,
 A is imino and
 B is acetimidoyl;
 - 7) R³ is morpholinopropyl, carboxyphenylpropyl, aminomethylphenylpropyl, hydroxyphenylpropyl, methoxycarbonylphenylpropyl, piperidinylpropyl, iso-butyloxyethyl, butoxyethyl, ethoxyethoxyethyl or hydroxyoctyl,
 - R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁵ is methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
 wherein X is trimethylene and
 B is amino;

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8) ① R<sup>3</sup> is isobutyl, and
R<sup>4</sup> is hydroxyoctyl, or
② R<sup>3</sup> is (3,4,4-trimethyl-2,5-dioxo-imidazolidin-1-yl)-
propyl, and
R<sup>4</sup> is isopropyl,
R<sup>5</sup> is methyl,
R<sup>9</sup> is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
wherein X is trimethylene and
B is amino;
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9) R³ is aminomethylphenylpropyl, aminomethylbenzyl, acetimidoyliminopentyl, isopropyliminopentyl, (pyridin-4-ylmethylimino)pentyl or isopropyliminomethylbenzyl,

R⁴ is isobutyl,

R⁵ is methyl, and
R⁹ is hydrogen;

10) R³ is phenoxyethyl, cyclohexylpropyl, toluenesulfonamidomethylbenzyl, methanesulfonamidomethylbenzyl or phthalimidomethylbenzyl,

R⁴ is isobutyl,

R⁵ is methyl, and

R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is ethylene,

A is imino and

B is amidino;

11) R is phenylpropyl,

R⁵ is methyl,

When R⁴ is isobutyl,

R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is methylene,

A is imino and

n is amidino;

- When R⁴ is naphthylmethyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is ethylene,
 A is imino and
 B is amidino; or
- When R⁴ is isopropyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
 wherein X is trimethylene, and
 B is amino;

 \bigcap 12) R^3 is aminomethylphenylpropyl,

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- ① R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁵ is methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
 wherein X is methylene or ethylene, and
 B is amino;
- ② R⁴ is isopropyl,
 R⁵ is methyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
 wherein X is ethylene, and
 B is amino;
- 13) R³ is aminophenylpropyl,
 R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁵ is dimethylaminoethyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is trimethylene, and
 A is imino and
 B is acetimidoyl;

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R³ is aminomethylbenzyl,
R⁴ is isobutyl,
R⁵ is methyl, and
R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
wherein X is phenylene,
A is methylene, and

B is amino.

18. (Amended) A compound having the following formula (I):

wherein R^1 , R^2 , R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,

R³ is methyl,
R⁴ is isobutyl,
R⁵ is methyl,

is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B or -B, wherein X, Y, A and B are selected from the following

combinations:

- X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is amidino;
- X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -B and B is amino;
- ③ X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;
- X is trimethylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl and benzimidoyl;
- X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is methylene and B is amino; and
- X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of tetra-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl bis(phosphono)methyl and tri-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl bis(phosphono)methyl;

R³ is methyl, R is isobutyl, R is 2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl or piperidyl, is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is trimethylene, A is imino and B is acetimidoyl;

R³ is methyl, R is isobutyl, R⁵ is cyclopropyl, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is ethylene and B is amino;

R⁵ is morpholino, R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is phenylene, A is methyleneimino and

B is acetimidoyl;

 R^3 and R^4 are each isobutyl, R⁵ is 2-carboxyethyl, 2-dimethylaminoethyl or 2-hydroxyethyl, R^9 is -X-Y, wherein X is phenylene and Y is -A-B,

wherein A and B are selected from the following combinations:

- A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl; and
- A is methylene and . B is amino;

and R⁴ are each isobutyl,

when R⁵ is 2-hydroxy-1,1-dimethylethyl,

R⁹ is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B,

wherein A is methyleneimino and

B is acetimidoyl;

② when R⁵ is methyl,
R⁹ is -X-Y,
wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene and
Y is -A-B,
wherein A is imino and
B is amidino;

6) R³ is phenylpropyl,
R⁴ is isobutyl,

① R⁵ is methyl,

R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is phenylene and

A is methylene and

B is amino; or

7) R³ is nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted propyl, carboxyphenylpropyl, aminomethylphenylpropyl, hydroxyphenylpropyl, methoxycarbonylphenylpropyl, oxygen-containing (C₁-C₈) straight chain or branched alkyl or hydroxyoctyl,

R4 is isobutyl,

R⁵ is methyl,

 R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -B,

wherein X is trimethylene and B is amino;

- R³ is isobutyl, and 8) R is hydroxyoctyl, or R is (3,4,4-trimethyl-2,5-dioxo-imidazolidin-1-yl)propyl, and
 - R⁴ is isopropyl, is methyl, is -X-Y, and Y is -B, wherein X is trimethylene and

B is amino;

- is amino-substituted methyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, acetimidoyliminopentyl, isopropyliminopentyl, (pyridin-4-ylmethylimino)pentyl · or isopropyliminomethylbenzyl,
 - is isobutyl, is methyl, and
 - is hydrogen;
- 10) R³ is phenoxyethyl, cyclohexylpropyl, toluenesulfonamidomethylbenzyl, methanesulfonamidomethylbenzyl or phthalimidomethylbenzyl,
 - is isobutyl,
 - is methyl, and
 - R^9 is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is ethylene,

A is imino and

B is amidino;

- 11) R³ is phenylpropyl,
 R⁵ is methyl,
 ① when R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is methylene,
 A is imino and
 B is amidino;
 - when R⁴ is naphthylmethyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is ethylene,
 A is imino and
 B is amidino; or
 - ③ when R⁴ is isopropyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,
 wherein X is trimethylene, and
 B is amino;
- 12) R³ is aminomethylphenylpropyl,

 R⁴ is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,

 R⁵ is methyl,

 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,

 wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene, and

 B is amino;
- 13) R³ is aminophenylpropyl,
 R⁴ is isobutyl,
 R⁵ is dimethylaminoethyl,
 R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is trimethylene, and
 A is imino and
 B is acetimidoyl;

14) R³ is guanidinophenylpropyl, guanidinomethylphenylpropyl or aminomethylbenzyl,

R⁴ is isobutyl,

R⁵ is methyl, and

R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -B,

wherein X is ethylene, and

B is amino; or

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15) R³ is aminomethylbenzyl,
R⁴ is isobutyl,
R⁵ is methyl, and
R⁹ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
wherein X is phenylene,
A is methylene, and
B is amino;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

19. A compound having the following formula (VI):

$$R^{1}O$$
 R^{11} O R^{14} R^{8} R^{6} R^{12} H O R^{13} (VI)

wherein R^1 is unsubstituted or optionally substituted aralkyl, and $R^2,\,\,R^6,\,\,R^7$ and R^8 are each hydrogen,

- 1) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, -A-E or -E, wherein X, Y, A, B and E are selected from the following
 - ① X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-E, A is imino and E is protected amidino;
 - ② X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -E and E is protected amino;

 - A X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl and benzimidoyl;
 - ⑤ X is phenylene, Y is -E, E is cyano; and

combinations:

- 8 X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is tetra-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl bis(phosphono)methyl;
- 2) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl,

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3) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, ① R^{13} is (C_3-C_7) cycloalkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

 $\hbox{$E$ is protected amino; or } \\ \hbox{\mathbb{Q} R^{13} is a nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical,} \\$

R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is phenylene,

A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and

B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;

4) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is protected carboxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl or protected hydroxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, and

 R^{14} is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B or -A-E,

wherein A, B and E are selected from the following combinations:

① Y is -A-B, A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl; and

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② Y is -A-E, A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene and E is cyano;
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5) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
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 $\ensuremath{\text{\textcircled{0}}}$ when R^{13} is hydroxy-substituted (C1-C6) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B,

wherein

A is lower (C_1-C_4) alkylene-imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl; or

② when R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

Y is -A-E,

wherein A is imino and

E is protected amidino;

6) R^{11} is phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

① R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is phenylene and

E is cyano; or

② R^{13} is di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected hydroxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl

or lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

A is imino and

B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;

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7) R^{11} is nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected carboxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected amino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected hydroxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, lower (C_1-C_4) alkoxycarbonyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, oxygen-containing (C_1-C_8) straight chain or branched alkyl, or hydroxy-substituted (C_1-C_8) alkyl; R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and E is protected amino;

8) ① R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, and R^{12} is protected hydroxy-substituted (C_1-C_8) alkyl, or

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

E is protected amino;

9) R^{11} is cyano-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, lower (C_1-C_4) alkylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkylimino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl, or isopropyliminomethylbenzyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

R¹⁴ is hydrogen;

10) R^{11} is aryloxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, (C_3-C_7) cycloalkylsubstituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, arylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, alkylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, or protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, A is imino and E is protected amidino; 11) R^{11} is phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, ① when R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene,

A is imino and E is protected amidino;

 $\ \$ when R^{12} is unsubstituted or optionally substituted aryl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene,

A is imino and

E is protected amidino; or

3 when R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and

E is protected amino;

13) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and A is imino and B is lower (C_1-C_4) acylimidoyl;

14) R^{11} is protected guanidino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected guanidino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, or protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino; or

15) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is phenylene,

E is cyano;

or a salt thereof.

20. The compound according to claim 19, wherein R^1 is benzyl, and R^2 , R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,

- 1) R¹¹ is methyl,
 - R¹² is isobutyl,
 - R¹³ is methyl,
 - R¹⁴ is -X-Y and Y is -A-B, -A-E, or -E wherein X, Y, A, B and E are selected from the following combinations:
 - ① X is methylene or ethylene, Y is -A-E, A is imino and E is protected amidino;
 - ② X is ethylene or trimethylene, Y is -E and E is protected amino;
 - ③ X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;
 - X is trimethylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is selected from the group consisting of acetimidoyl, propionimidoyl and benzimidoyl;
 - S X is phenylene, Y is -E, E is cyano; and
 - X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is tetra-ethyl
 bis(phosphono)methyl, or tetra-methyl bis(phosphono)methyl;
- 2) R^{11} is methyl,
 - R¹² is isobutyl,
 - R¹³ is 2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl or piperidyl,
 - R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,
 wherein X is trimethylene,

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A is imino and B is acetimidoyl;

- 3) R^{11} is methyl,
 - R¹² is isobutyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is ethylene and

E is protected amino; or

② R¹³ is morpholino,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B,

wherein X is phenylene,

A is methyleneimino and

B is acetimidoyl;

4) R^{11} and R^{12} are each isobutyl,

 R^{13} is protected 2-carboxyethyl, 2-dimethylaminoethyl or protected 2-hydroxyethyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

Y is -A-B or -E,

wherein A, B and E are selected from the following combinations:

- ① Y is -A-B, A is methyleneimino, and B is acetimidoyl; and
- ② Y is -E, and E is cyano;
- 5) R^{11} and R^{12} are each isobutyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y,

wherein X is phenylene and

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Y is -A-B, wherein A is methyleneimino and B is acetimidoyl;

When R¹³ is methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y. wherein X is methylene or ethylene and Y is -A-E, wherein A is imino and E is protected amidino;

R¹¹ is phenylpropyl, R^{12} is isobutyl, \mathbb{O} R^{13} is methyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is phenylene and E is cyano; or

② R¹³ is 2-dimethylaminoethyl, protected 2-hydroxyethyl or methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is trimethylene, A is imino and B is acetimidoyl;

R¹¹ is morpholinopropyl, protected carboxyphenylpropyl, protected 7) aminomethylphenylpropyl, protected hydroxyphenylpropyl, methoxycarbonylphenylpropyl, piperidinylpropyl, iso-butyloxyethyl, butoxyethyl, ethoxyethoxyethyl or protected hydroxyoctyl,

R¹² is isobutyl,

R¹³ is methyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is trimethylene and

E is protected amino;

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8) ① R<sup>11</sup> is isobutyl, and
   R<sup>12</sup> is protected hydroxyoctyl, or
② R<sup>11</sup> is (3,4,4-trimethyl-2,5-dioxo-imidazolidin-1-yl)-
        propyl, and
   R<sup>12</sup> is isopropyl,
R<sup>13</sup> is methyl,
R<sup>14</sup> is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
   wherein X is trimethylene and
        E is protected amino;
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9) R¹¹ is protected aminomethylphenylpropyl, protected aminomethylbenzyl or protected aminopentyl,
R¹² is isobutyl,
R¹³ is methyl, and
R¹⁴ is hydrogen;

10) R¹¹ is phenoxyethyl, cyclohexylpropyl, toluenesulfonamido methylbenzyl, methanesulfonamidomethylbenzyl,
 phthalimidomethylbenzyl, cyano-phenylpropyl or cyano-benzyl,
 R¹² is isobutyl,
 R¹³ is methyl, and
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,
 wherein X is ethylene,
 A is imino and
 E is protected amidino;

11) R¹¹ is phenylpropyl,
 R¹³ is methyl,
① when R¹² is isobutyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,

wherein X is methylene, A is imino and E is protected amidino; When R¹² is naphthylmethyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E, wherein X is ethylene, A is imino and E is protected amidino; or 3 when R^{12} is isopropyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is trimethylene, and E is protected amino; 12) R^{11} is protected aminomethylphenylpropyl, ① R¹² is isobutyl, R¹³ is methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is methylene or ethylene, and E is protected amino; or 2 R^{12} is isopropyl, R¹³ is methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is ethylene, and E is protected amino; 13) R¹¹ is protected aminophenylpropyl, R¹² is isobutyl, R¹³ is dimethylaminoethyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, wherein X is trimethylene, and

A is imino and

B is acetimidoyl;

E is protected amino; or

15) R¹¹ is protected aminomethylbenzyl,
R¹² is isobutyl,
R¹³ is methyl, and
R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
wherein X is phenylene,
E is cyano.

21. A compound having the following formula (IV):

$$R^{10}O_2C$$
 R^{11}
 $R^{10}O_2C$
 R^{12}
 R^{12}
 R^{14}
 R^{14}
 R^{14}
 R^{14}
 R^{14}
 R^{10}
 R^{10}

wherein R^{10} is (C_1-C_6) alkyl, and R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,

1) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-B, -A-E or -E, wherein X, Y, A, B and E are selected from the following

combinations:

- ① X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -A-E, A is imino and E is protected amidino;
- ② X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, Y is -E and E is protected amino;
- 3 X is phenylene, Y is -E, and E is cyano; and
- A X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino and B is tetra-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl bis(phosphono)methyl;
- 2) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{13} is hydroxy-substituted (C_1 - C_6) alkyl or a nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical,
 - R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene,

E is protected amino;

- 3) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - ① R^{13} is (C_3-C_7) cycloalkyl,
 - R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and

E is protected amino; or

- ② R¹³ is a nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical,
 - R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is phenylene and E is cyano;

- 4) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - R^{13} is protected carboxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl or protected hydroxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, and
 - R^{14} is -X-Y.

wherein X is phenylene and
Y is -E, and E is cyano;

- 5) R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

wherein X is phenylene and
 Y is -E, and E is cyano;

② when R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y.

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and Y is -A-E,

wherein A is imino and
 E is protected amidino;

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- 6) R^{11} is phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,
 - ① R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is phenylene and E is cyano; or
 - ② R^{13} is di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected hydroxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl or lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,
 - R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino;
- 7) R^{11} is nitrogen-containing heterocyclic radical-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected carboxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected amino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected hydroxy-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

lower (C₁-C₄) alkoxycarbonyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl, oxygen-containing (C₁-C₈) straight chain or branched alkyl, or hydroxy-substituted (C₁-C₈) alkyl;

R¹² is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,

R¹³ is lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,

R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene and

E is protected amino;

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- 8) ① R^{11} is (C_1-C_9) alkyl, and R^{12} is protected hydroxy-substituted (C_1-C_8) alkyl, or

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene and E is protected amino;

9) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, or protected amino-substituted (C_1-C_6) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

R¹⁴ is hydrogen;

10) R^{11} is aryloxy-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, (C_3-C_7) cycloalkyl-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, arylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, alkylsulfonamido-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, or protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

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R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, 
 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, 
 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E, 
 wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, 
 A is imino and 
 E is protected amidino;
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11) R¹¹ is phenyl-lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,
 R¹³ is lower (C₁-C₄) alkyl,
① when R¹² is (C₃-C₉) alkyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,
 wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene,
 A is imino and
 E is protected amidino;

@ when R^{12} is unsubstituted or optionally substituted aryl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,
wherein X is (C₁-C₆) alkylene,
 A is imino and
 E is protected amidino; or

(3) when R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino;

12) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1 - C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino;

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- 13) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl, R^{13} is di-lower (C_1-C_4) alkylamino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino;
- 14) R^{11} is protected guanidino-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, protected guanidino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl, or protected amino-substituted lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is (C_1-C_6) alkylene, and E is protected amino; or

15) R^{11} is protected amino-substituted lower (C_1 - C_4) alkyl-substituted phenyl-lower (C_1 - C_4) alkyl,

 R^{12} is (C_3-C_9) alkyl,

 R^{13} is lower (C_1-C_4) alkyl,

R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
wherein X is phenylene, and
E is cyano;

or a salt thereof.

22. The compound according to claim 21, wherein R^{10} is tert-butyl, and R^6 , R^7 and R^8 are each hydrogen,

- 1) R¹¹ is methyl,
 R¹² is isobutyl,
 R¹³ is methyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y and Y is -A-B, -A-E or -E
 wherein X, Y, A, B and E are selected from the following combinations:
 - ① X is methylene or ethylene, Y is -A-E, A is imino and E is protected amidino;
 - ② X is ethylene or trimethylene, Y is -E and E is protected amino;
 - ③ X is phenylene, Y is -E, and E is cyano; and
 - X is phenylene, Y is -A-B, A is imino, and B is tetra-ethyl bis(phosphono)methyl;
- 3) R¹¹ is methyl,
 R¹² is isobutyl,
 ① R¹³ is cyclopropyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
 wherein X is ethylene and
 E is protected amino;
 - ② R¹³ is morpholino,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
 wherein X is phenylene, and
 E is cyano;

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4) R<sup>11</sup> and R<sup>12</sup> are each isobutyl,
R<sup>13</sup> is protected 2-carboxyethyl, 2-dimethylaminoethyl or protected
2-hydroxyethyl,
R<sup>14</sup> is -X-Y,
wherein X is phenylene and
Y is -E, and E is cyano;
5) R<sup>11</sup> and R<sup>12</sup> are each isobutyl,
① when R<sup>13</sup> is 2-hydroxy-1,1-dimethylethyl,
R<sup>14</sup> is -X-Y,
wherein X is phenylene and
Y is -E, wherein E is cyano;
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When R¹³ is methyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y,
 wherein X is methylene or ethylene, and
 Y is -A-E,
 wherein A is imino and
 E is protected amidino;

- 6) R¹¹ is phenylpropyl,
 R¹² is isobutyl,
 ① R¹³ is methyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
 wherein X is phenylene and
 E is cyano; or
 - R¹³ is 2-dimethylaminoethyl, protected 2-hydroxyethyl or methyl,
 R¹⁴ is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
 wherein X is trimethylene, and
 E is protected amino;
- 7) R¹¹ is morpholinopropyl, protected carboxyphenylpropyl,

protected aminomethylphenylpropyl, protected hydroxyphenylpropyl, methoxycarbonylphenylpropyl, piperidinylpropyl, iso-butyloxyethyl, butoxyethyl, ethoxyethoxyethyl or protected hydroxyoctyl, R¹² is isobutyl, R¹³ is methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is trimethylene and E is protected amino; R¹² is protected hydroxyoctyl, or ② R¹¹ is (3,4,4-trimethyl-2,5-dioxo-imidazolidin-1-yl)-propyl, and R¹² is isopropyl, R¹³ is methyl, R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is trimethylene and E is protected amino; 9) R¹¹ is protected aminomethylphenylpropyl, protected aminomethylbenzyl, or protected aminopentyl, R¹² is isobutyl. R^{13} is methyl, and R¹⁴ is hydrogen; 10) R¹¹ is phenoxyethyl, cyclohexylpropyl, toluenesulfonamidomethylbenzyl, methanesulfonamidomethylbenzyl or

phthalimidomethylbenzyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,

wherein X is ethylene,

R¹² is isobutyl,

 R^{13} is methyl, and

A is imino, and E is protected amidino;

- 11) R^{11} is phenylpropyl,
 - R¹³ is methyl,
 - ① when R^{12} is isobutyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,

wherein X is methylene,

A is imino, and

E is protected amidino;

@ when R¹² is naphthylmethyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -A-E,

wherein X is ethylene,

A is imino, and

E is protected amidino; or

3 when R^{12} is isopropyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is trimethylene, and

E is protected amino;

- 12) R¹¹ is protected aminomethylphenylpropyl,

R¹³ is methyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is methylene or ethylene, and

E is protected amino;

- ② R¹² is isopropyl,
 - R¹³ is methyl,

 R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is ethylene, and

E is protected amino;

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13) R<sup>11</sup> is protected aminophenylpropyl,
R<sup>12</sup> is isobutyl,
R<sup>13</sup> is dimethylaminoethyl,
R<sup>14</sup> is -X-Y, and Y is -E,
wherein X is trimethylene, and
E is protected amino;
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- 14) R^{11} is protected guanidinophenylpropyl, protected guanidinomethylphenylpropyl or protected aminomethylbenzyl, R^{12} is isobutyl,
 - R^{13} is methyl, and R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E,

wherein X is ethylene, and
 E is protected amino; or

15) R^{11} is protected aminomethylbenzyl, R^{12} is isobutyl, R^{13} is methyl, and R^{14} is -X-Y, and Y is -E, wherein X is phenylene, and

E is cyano.